



PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Lee B. Hansen et al.

Serial No.: 09/676,162

Filing Date: September 29, 2000

For: AUTHORIZATION KEY SYSTEM FOR SELECTIVELY CONTROLLING THE PERFORMANCE OF A DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM

Docket: 1028.1133101

Assistant Commissioner  
for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Examiner: Unknown  
Technology Center 2100  
Group Art Unit Unknown

## Group Art Unit Unknown

## REVIEW ARTICLE

#### RELATIVELY CONTROLLING THE

STEM

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

~~8th~~ DAY OF January, 2001

~~Brian N. Turner~~

Dear Sirs:

# **INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Pursuant to the obligations of candor and good faith imposed by 37 C.F.R. 1.56, the documents listed on the attached PTO-1449 are hereby disclosed.

No representation is intended to be made hereby that any of the cited references establishes, by itself or in combination with other information, a prima facie case of unpatentability of any claim of the present case.

Respectfully submitted,

Lee B. Hansen et al.

~~By their attorney,~~

~~Brian N Tufte Reg No 38 638~~

Brian N. Ture, Reg. No. 30,650  
CROMPTON SEAGER & TUOTE, LLC

~~CROMPTON, SERGER & FISKE, P.~~  
331 Second Avenue South Suite 895

331 Second Avenue South, Suite 300  
Minneapolis, MN 55401-2246

Telephone: (612) 677-9050

Dated: January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2001